

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
**Agricultural Marketing Service**  
Commodity Procurement Staff  
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239  
Washington, DC 20250-0239

#### Information

Description: **AG-LBEF-S-15-0001**  
Bid invitation number: **2000002941**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 10/02/2014 15:15:00  
Offer Due Date : 10/07/2014 13:00:00

Opening date: 10/07/2014 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

#### Tendering text - Header :

FRESH AND FROZEN BEEF PRODUCTS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000002941

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Fresh and Frozen Beef pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, October 10, 2014. Deliveries are to be made between November 3 and November 30, 2014.

This Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items; however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations, review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot

Offerors who intend to use more than one processing plant and shipping point for contracts awarded under this solicitation, other than the processing plant and shipping point entered in their bids, may submit a list of their approved processing plants and shipping points on a separate sheet of paper to be uploaded in WBSCM, and to be submitted with their bids.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination or to the port.

Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

In order to submit offers on this solicitation, Offerors must be deemed eligible by the Contracting Officer. Product purchased under this Solicitation will be produced according to the applicable Item Description and Checklist of Requirements and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal.

Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System (WBSCM). Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed nonresponsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202) 720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated April 2014; Supplement 212 to the AMS Master Solicitation, dated May 2012; Supplement 212 Amendment 1 dated May 2013; Supplement 212 Amendment 2 dated April 2014; Supplement 212 Amendment 3 dated June 2014; Supplement 211 to AMS Master Solicitation, dated June

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2012; Supplement 211 Amendment 1 dated May 2013; Supplement 211 Amendment 2 dated April 2014; Supplement 211 Amendment 3 dated June 2014; Supplement 213 to AMS Master Solicitation, dated June 2012; Supplement 213 Amendment 1 dated May 2013; Supplement 213 Amendment 2 dated June 2014; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522 South; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.; Washington, DC 20250-0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517. FAX (202) 2782.

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**See attached documents:**

- 1 . Supplement 212 May 2012
- 2 . Supplement 212 Amd 3 June 2014
- 3 . Supplement 212 Amd 2 April 2014
- 4 . Supplement 212 Amd 1 May 2013
- 5 . AMS Master Solicitation April 2014
- 6 . SUPPLEMENT 213 AMD 1 MAY 2013
- 7 . SUPPLEMENT 213 AMD 2 JUNE 2014
- 8 . SUPPLEMENT 211 JUNE 2012
- 9 . Supplement 211 Amd 1 May 2013
- 10 . SUPPLEMENT 211 AMD 2 APRIL 2014
- 11 . SUPPLEMENT 211 AMD 3 JUNE 2014
- 12 . SUPPLEMENT 213 JUNE 2012

**Attributes :**

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR).

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Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

- Permitted values:
- Have been delivered
  - Have not been delivered
  - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
  - There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION'S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13). MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

- Permitted values:
- Yes
  - No
  - N/A

**Bid invitation Item details**

	Item Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>10</b>	<b>BEEF, FRESH</b>					
<b>20</b>	<b>BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB</b>					
<b>30</b>	<b>INGLEWOOD CA</b>					
<b>40</b>	<b>100155</b>	<b>BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB</b>	<b>11/10/2014-11/12/2014</b>	<b>90302</b>	<b>40,000</b>	<b>LB</b>

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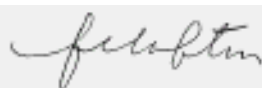
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
50	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/17/2014-11/19/2014	90302	40,000	LB
<b>60 CHICAGO IL</b>						
70	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/03/2014-11/05/2014	60609	80,000	LB
80	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/10/2014-11/12/2014	60609	80,000	LB
90	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/17/2014-11/19/2014	60609	80,000	LB
<b>100 SOUTH HUTCHISON KS</b>						
110	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/03/2014-11/05/2014	67505	200,000	LB
120	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/10/2014-11/12/2014	67505	200,000	LB
130	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/17/2014-11/19/2014	67505	240,000	LB
140	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/24/2014-11/26/2014	67505	120,000	LB
<b>150 CINCINNATI OH</b>						
160	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/03/2014-11/05/2014	45246	40,000	LB
170	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/10/2014-11/12/2014	45246	80,000	LB
180	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/17/2014-11/19/2014	45246	40,000	LB
<b>190 ENID OK</b>						
200	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/03/2014-11/05/2014	73701	80,000	LB
210	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/10/2014-11/12/2014	73701	80,000	LB
220	100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB	11/17/2014-11/19/2014	73701	80,000	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB					1,480,000	LB
<b>230 BEEF, GROUND</b>						
<b>240 BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB</b>						
<b>250 LOT: 4752 CHICOPEE MA / WORCESTER MA /</b>						
260	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	01013	19,000	LB
270	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	01610	19,000	LB
<b>280 LOT: 4754 TAUNTON MA / WILMINGTON MA /</b>						
290	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	02780	19,000	LB
300	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	01887	19,000	LB
<b>310 LOT: 8843772422 COAL TOWNSHIP PA / WI...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 8843772422 COAL TOWNSHIP PA / WILKES-BARRE PA / YORK PA /						
320	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	17866	11,800	LB

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330	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	18702	11,080	LB
340	110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	17403	15,120	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB					114,000	LB
<b>350 BEEF 100% PTY 90/10 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB</b>						
<b>360 AUGUSTA ME</b>						
370	110346	BEEF 100% PTY 90/10 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	04330	38,000	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF 100% PTY 90/10 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB					38,000	LB
<b>380 BEEF, SPECIAL TRIM</b>						
<b>390 BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB</b>						
<b>400 HARRISON OH</b>						
410	100156	BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB	11/16/2014-11/30/2014	45030	126,000	LB
Total Quantity for BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB					126,000	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					1,758,000	LB



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